

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q78700

Michihiro SHIBATA

Appln. No.: 10/722,123

Confirmation No.: 4843

Group Art Unit: 1762

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Examiner: Kirsten Jolley

For: OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Continued examination of the above-identified application is requested and the following are being submitted in addition to this Amendment:

1. An RCE and the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17;
2. A petition and the required fee for a one (1) month extension of time to extend the time period for reply to the Office Action dated September 1, 2006 from December 1, 2006 to January 3, 2007 (January 1, 2007 and January 2, 2007 being Federal holidays);
3. An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 Form;
4. A Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e); and
5. Statement of Substance of Interview

In response to the Office Action dated September 1, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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